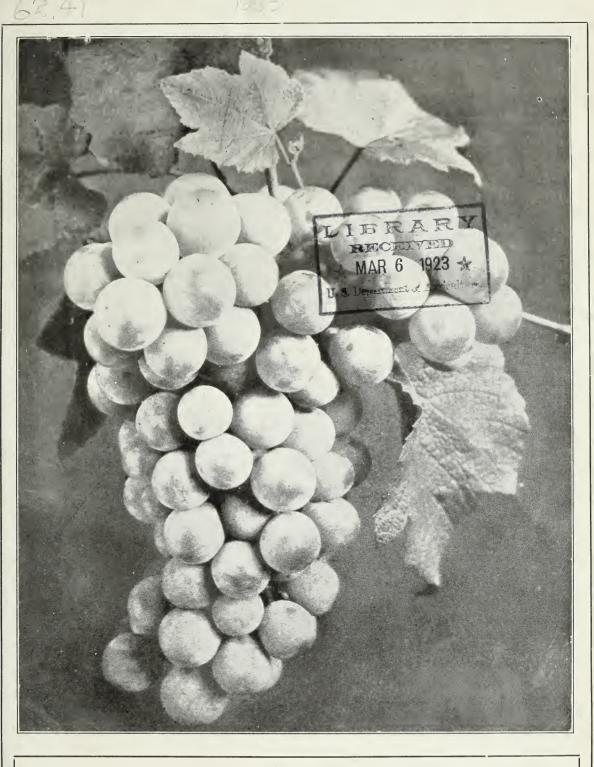
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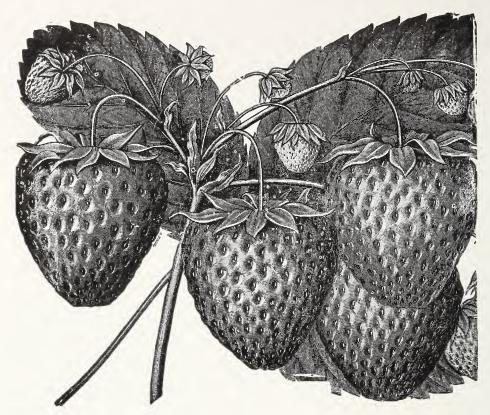
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A. F. DASS & SON

Breeders of Thoroughbred Pedigree Strawberry Plants

Season 1923

Bridgman, Michigan



PREMIER

Premier is without doubt the best all-around early strawberry grown. A Favorite in all sections of the country. A strong pollenizer, vigorous grower and heavy producer. We know of no berry that has attained such popularity in so short a time. When you see the actual Premier berry you will know that this description and photograph do not do it justice. It is crimson red clear to the core; large size; perfect in shape; good firm berry; delicious flavor; and heavy yielder. Has no rival and is the one best early berry to plant. Premier will be the early berry for every grower as soon as he can get the plants. For home use this wonderful berry is unequaled. Plant Premier in your garden—they will provide your table with big luscious berries early in the season. The quality is unsurpassed, whether eaten fresh or preserved for winter. We have the genuine Kellogg's Premier, a large stock of them, but expect to be sold out before the season ends. Give us your order as soon as you can and get started with this grand new berry.

See Page 16 For Prices.

The Crop Report Bureau of the United States reports an average of approximately 3,000 quarts per acre for strawberries. This is of the whole country. At a price of 20c per quart makes a net return of \$600.00. Is there any other crop that will produce the same amount per acre for you? Plant some of our small fruit plants for profit.

Our Guarantee Goes with Every Plant. We Grow Them for Plants Only.







A. H. DASS

A Personal Word to Our Customers

We welcome the return of normal times and feel special pleasure in presenting our catalog for 1923. Prices for 1923 are lower, in line with the present trend, although as you well know the price of production has declined very little. Our large volume of business enables us to operate on a smaller margin of profit and still give you the best plants and trees that money can buy.

The Dass Michigan Norhern-grown plants and trees are noted the country over for their extreme vigor and vitality—that ruggedness which makes them withstand the most adverse conditions, giving big returns every year. The more exacting the buyer's requirements, the surer his appreciation of Dass plants and service.

We are looking for a good demand for plants this season and can supply any order, millions if need be. We strongly advise you to plant some fruit this season. A few dollars spent for plants will be a good paying investment and will assure you fresh fruit during the entire Summer and with fruit to preserve for use when needed. It looks like a good business proposition to grow your own fruit. It is easily done if you will follow the few simple rules which we publish in this catalog. They will tell you how to do it and almost any reighbor can give you helpful advice.

Bridgman is a village of five hundred good people, a trade center representing a community of fruit growers who are intensive farmers, producing small fruit and fruit plants. Berrien County is the acknowledged largest and best small fruit growing and plant producing county in the United States. We are all proud of what we are accomplishing in such a large way, in not only the production of small fruits, but in the broader phrase of the service, in growing so extensively small fruit plants. Wherever you find berry growers you will find a healthy happy prosperus, and progressive community.

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Anyone contemplating going in the berry business should be cautious in purchasing their plants. It is a great waste of time and labor to put in plants of an inferior quality. The best plants obtainable cost but little more and the difference is too little to speculate on unreliable stock. Your whole season's work hangs in the balance. Our method of selling plants direct to you offers you the opportunity to buy the finest plants that can be grown at the lowest possible cost. You get actual plant value for every cent invested. There are no salesmen's commissions, jobbers' profits, or expensive advertising campaigns. Our prices are based on the cost of production only, with a small margin of profit to ourselves. Remember that our plants are grown and produced under the most modern and scientific methods. We have skilled workers, up-to-date machinery and tools, and supply the soil upon which our plants are grown an abundance of plant food.

Those of our readers whom we have not had the pleasure of dealing with, we especially request that you place your order with us. We want you to compare them with the plants you have grown in the past. If you do not say that they are as good or better, of course we will expect no more orders from you. However, we believe that in fairness to us you should place your order with us this season that we may have the opportunity to prove to you that we can save you money. We solicit your order and assure you that it will be given our

prompt attention.

Very truly yours,
DASS NURSERY COMPANY.



OUR SPRAYER IN OPERATION.

Although in no way connected with the Tirrell Mfg. Co., it gives us great pleasure to call our friends' and customers' attention to a new power sprayer that is being manufactured in our town.

Having had the opportunity during the last two years of not only watching its development, but actually using one in our Nurseries for spraying our own stock of plants, we feel that we can speak with authority when we pronounce it a wonderful advancement in the spraying industry.

In the several sprayings we gave our Nursery stock the sprayer never caused a bit of trouble, and the healthy condition of all of our plants testify to the efficiency of the applications. We therefore can highly recommend this sprayer to our many friends.

DASS NURSERY COMPANY Per A. F. DASS

THE OLD THEORY OF REQUIRING A HIGH PRESSURE TO MAKE A FINE MIST FOR SPRAYING FULLY EXPLODED

Utilizing a new principal in the application of air, the Tirrell Air Sprayer covers the foliage like the dew, requiring only 15 pounds of pressure. With this we can readily reach the top of any fruit trees, as the great driving force of the strong blast of air that is constantly passing through the large openings in the nozzle carries the spray right into the foliage, penetrating into every crack and cranny.

The saving of time and material, the non-clogging features of our nozzles and the simplicity of operation make it by far the most dependable sprayer on the market today. Write for Catalog.

TIRRELL MANUFACTURING CO. BRIDGMAN,
MICHIGAN.



Our Home---On Our Plant Farm Near Bridgman.

MISSIONARY. This is the Dunlap of the South. It heads the list of all extra early Southern varieties. It is a good plant maker, is very productive, has a good quality berry, which brings good prices on the markets. We have a fine patch of them and at our low price you should plant all of them you can this spring.

PREMIER

(Per.) We head the list of our early varieties with this wonderful new strawberry, only recently placed before the public.

While this is only the second year we have offered it for sale, the demand for it has been so large, and the complete satisfaction given so evident, that we are confident it has come to stay.

To begin with, it is the earliest variety known today, ripening its fruit even a little earlier than either Campbell's Early or Howard No. 17, both close seconds in period of ripening.

Premier is a strong pollenizer, vigorous grower, and heavy producer.

Its berries are of large, even size, conical in shape, and a bright rich red in color, with a glossy appearance, rendering it very attractive.

It is rather tart in flavor, but being firm and of excellent quality, it readily stands

long distance shipping and commands top prices on the market.

Like Senator Dunlap, this wonderful plant grows in all soils and climate, making it one of the most profitable early market varieties in all sections.

Be sure to include Premier in your order.

HOWARD NO. 17

This is another early variety only recently introduced which seems quite similar to Premier. This variety was introduced by Mr. C. E. Chapman in 1918 who secured his original plants some two years previous from Prof. A. T. Stevens, a member of the faculty of the Connecticut Agricultural College, who told Mr. Chapman it was too good a thing to let stand still. It is very well adapted to different soils and climates, having been grown throughout the entire United States and Canada. Berries very large, firm, beautiful and delicious. We have grown a fine bed of plants received from a reliable nursery and advise our friends to give the Howard No. 17 a trial. You are sure to be pleased.

CHARLES I (Per.)

Our experience with the Charles I proves it to be a heavy plant maker. Bud is rather large, hardy, and matures long stems with tall dark green foliage.
We quote the introducer for a fuller description of the plant fruit:

"Charles I ripens nearly a week before any other strawberry and is very productive, yielding more quarts of large fine looking berries than any other early variety. It is a strong fertilizer and a good grower.



Showing How Our Plants Are Dug Fresh For Every Order By Our Diggers.

GIBSON. A wonderful strawberry. See picture from photograph on inside of back cover.) Gibson, we believe, is the most profitable variety now generally grown. That is a very strong statement, but we have often told our customers that if we were growing strawberries for market and were restricted to one variety we would choose Gibson.

Gibson commences to bear with Senator Dunlap, etc., but owing to its wonderful productiveness it continues until quite late, so we class it with our medium late varieties. It is a very strong grower, with long roots that withstand dry weather.

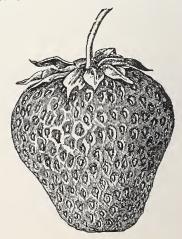


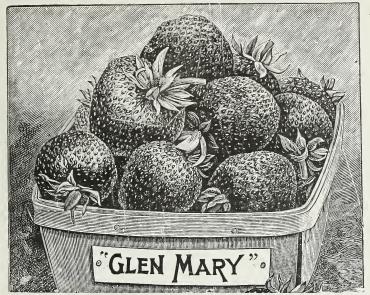
EATON. The Eaton is a new variety of strawberry only recently introduced by Mr. A. V. Eaton, of Indiana. The original plants were found in an orchard and he transplanted them and they produced berries superior to any grown on his farms. He describes it thus: "It is a medium early variety and the period of ripening extends over a long season. The berries are a deep red color; good size, perfect shaped, excellent flavor, productive, an excellent keeper and a perfect cone in form." Plant some Eaton in the Spring.

DR. BURRILL, THE MILLION DOLLAR STRAW-BERRY

DR. BURRILL. (Per.) This is a new variety introduced a few years ago by the Kellogg Co., of Three Rivers, Mich., and originated by Dr. Reasoner of Illinois. The introducer

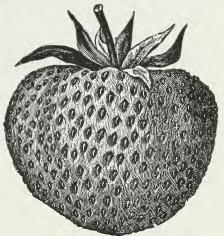
claims it is a scientific cross of Senator Dunlap, and the Crescent, with all the best quality of both embodied in one; a marvel of productiveness, quality, color, size, and firmness, which is seldom found in any one variety. The fruit is large, of high quality, very firm and of a beautiful even shape and a medium dark, glossy red in color, with bright yellow seeds and green calyx, making a most beautiful combination that pleases the eye and commands the very highest price on the market. The foliage is a beautiful dark green in color, the leaf tissues are tough, insuring its entire freedom from all leaf spots. It is also a good plant maker, always making enough plants for the hedge or matted row system. It has a heavy root system and will stand as much dry weather as any other variety we know of. Its blossoms are large, hardy and well developed and very rich in pollen; blooms over a long season, making it an ideal pollenizer for pistillate varieties. Commences to ripen early and extends over a long season. This is one of the best all around berries on our list, so be sure to include the Dr. Burrill in your order this spring; we know you will be pleased with them. This variety is similar to the Dunlap and equally as good in every way.





COOPER. Big in size. Big in yield. We have secured a few Cooper plants that we guarantee to be of the same strain as those of the introducers, Messrs. Emlong, and are offering them to our customers so that they may try them out for themselves. This is the biggest strawberry grown and is the heaviest yielder. The flavor is excellent, the color a bright red, plants are vigorous and hardy; is a mid-season variety. They are excellent berries for nearby markets and home use but are not firm enough to stand long shipping. Aside from this it is the best strawberry we have ever seen or grown. The yield is enormous and they do well on nearly all soils. If you have a good market that is not too distant plant some Cooper. They will bring you more money than any other berry you can grow. Remember we guarantee our plants to be the genuine Cooper. We have but a few, so order early.

GLEN MARY. This is one of the most popular varieties grown in the North and is grown very extensively in the South. It is as productive as the Gibson, but has a slight green tip. This, however, does not seem to impair its market value any as it is one of the best sellers on the market today. It is a very firm berry and holds up well under long shipments. The berry has a mild sub-acid flavor and is a dark red color. The plant is exceedingly vigorous and upright throws an abundant sup-ply of runners. Plant some Glen Mary at our money-saving prices.



BUN SPECIAL. This strawberry, which was just recently originated, seems to be in great demand and we have obtained some genuine Bun Special plants and have them for sale at money-saving prices. We quote the introducer for a description: "It is a perfect strawberry. We have watched it fruit for the past four years, alongside of nearly every other good variety we have growing. Bun Special has all others beaten in every way—not in some ways, but in every way. A splendid market, table and canning berry. Is very fine flavored, big, heavy yielding, uniform in size and shape and is a beautiful bright red color. The plant is vigorous, healthy and a fair plant maker. The fruit stems are very strong, holding the fruit off the ground. They are nicely rounded and smooth and have a nice appearance when crated. A good shipper.

KLONDYKE. The leading market variety for second early in all Southern States. Klondyke is an excellent shipping berry and brings top-notch prices on the markets. The plants are very vigorous and healthy and do well on most soils. That we have been furnishing the largest associations in the country year after year with our plants when they have millions of their own growing seems proof enough that buying Dass plants pays. We have some fine plants this season and are grown on new ground.



Field of Strawberries

JOE CRAMPTON. This is one of the best and largest strawberries grown. Berry is medium red color, large and uniform in size, has a delicious flavor, and is immensely productive. It is a good plant maker and gives big heavy yields on all kinds of soils. Is a good firm berry and carries well to distant markets. The berry has no hard cores nor green tips and is an excellent berry for table and canning use. It starts to bear a little later than the Gibson and has a long fruiting season.

VERY LATE VARIETIES

AROMA. This is our best and most profitable late strawberry. Extra big profits in berries are always made by getting your fruit on the market when the demand is best.

For the big money in berry growing we recommend very early or very late varieties as they mature their crops either before or after the heavy picking season.

Aroma is the latest strawberry grown and one of the very best varieties of strawberries.

They produce an immense amount of extra large, fancy ooking berries and the quality and market value is the very highest.

Every strawberry grower should plant Aroma to lengthen his fruiting season and make him more money. Many big growers, especially in the Southwest, plant large fields to Aroma alone for distant markets as it is one of the very best shipping varieties grown.

We will guarantee the fruit of Aroma to please all who give it a fair trial. It cannot well be beaten for quantity of fruit produced or in quality of fruit. Plants

show no weakness of any kind.

Aroma fruit described as follows:-Very large, round-

ish, conical, rarely misshapen, glossy-red, of excellent quality and produced in abundance. They are fancy for market and bring top prices everywhere. We guarantee Aroma to bring you big profits. The demand for plants has exceeded the supply every year for the past ten years. We have grown an extra large stock of fine Aroma plants but we advise you to order early to be sure of getting them.

THE NEW EVERBEARER

CHAMPION. (Per.) This new everbearer was introduced about five years ago by E. L. Lubke of Michigan. It has been grown and thoroughly tried out in many different States and is now grown quite extensively by commercial growers in Southwestern Michigan. We have fruited this variety and have seen it in fruit in several localities during the past two seasons. Mr. Lubke, the introducer, states he has not received even one discouraging report from this berry. The growers whom we have talked with about this berry claim it is the best everbearer they have ever grown and are perfectly satisfied with the results obtained from the Champion. We thought so favorably of this berry that we made quite extensive plantings last Spring and expect to have sufficient plants so that all of our customers may have a chance to try out this new everbearer. It is a true everbearer, bearing an abundance of fruit on the new plants as well as on the mother plant within a few months from time of setting. While the general appearance of this berry is quite similar to the Progressive, it seems to be superior to that well known variety in productiveness and quality and is decidedly a better plant maker. The introducer makes affidavit as follows: We picked in 129 days 352 sixteen quart crates of the Champion everbearers from one acre. There was set on this acre, 17,000 plants one foot apart in the rows, with rows 30 inches apart. This record was made in 223 days from the time the plants were set in the Spring of 1920 and without rigiation of any kind. I sold the berries for an average price of \$5.85 per crate. Each of the 17,000 plants netted me 12 1-9 cents each. I also kept a record of one row consisting of 280 plants, and from this row we picked 151 quarts. Another record was kept from the acre extending from August 8th to August 15th, in which 788 quarts were picked and sold for \$293.05. The United States Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Plant Industry, Washington, D. C., has no record that has exceeded this from one acre without irrigat

PROGRESSIVE. The best known everbearing strawberry and in fact the only one grown now in quantity. This variety produces a truly wonderful crop of extra nice berries the same season they are planted. They produce full crops on all soils and in all fruit sections in the country. Berries are good average size, beautiful dark glossy red in color and are better flavored than the June bearing varieties. Progressive is the best strawberry grown for making preserves, jam and jelly. Don't fail to include Progressive in your order this year.

OLD STANDARD VARIETIES

The varieties listed below are those which have been grown the country over and have amply proven their merits by yielding large, fine crops.

BUBACH (Imp.)

Hard to surpass in size and selling qualities. It is desirable for either home or market use. Plants are sturdy and large, and the berries conical, of good size and color. This is an old variety and succeeds on heavy soil.

SENATOR DUNLAP (Per.)

Early. More acres of Dunlap have been grown than of any other variety. It is impartial as to soil or climate, and will do well wherever planted. It is a very strong pollenizer and a very valuable mate for the earlier pistillates such as Warfield and Haverland. It is a very tall and dense grower. The fruit is dark red in color, large in size and the finest strawberry flavor. It is very firm, therefore very valuable as a long distance shipper. Very desirable for home use owing to its fine flavor, whether eaten fresh or preserved. Dunlap is a very desirable variety in every way.

GANDY Per.)

Late. A good reliable late fruiting variety. The berries are large and well colored, uniform in shape and size and a very good shipper. The plants are hardy and healthy, and do well especially on heavy soil. Gandy will command the top price on any market, as it is a very showy berry, stands shipping well and has a fine color. If you have a rich heavy soil plant some Gandy. It will not thrive on lighter soils.

COLLINS (Per.)

One of the best varieties for home use or market. It is a splendid grower, making a large number of strong runners. It has a perfect blossom, and is immensely productive. Fruits are of good size, light red, medium firmness. One of the best to plant with early blooming pistillate varieties.

HAVERLAND (Imp.)

Early. A tall growing, deep rooted, very productive old standard variety. The berries are long, medium sized and bright red in color. A good berry for light soil and will stand a lot of dry weather. Haverland makes an ideal fruiting row, and produces a big crop of berries regularly. It is a pleasure to pick Haverland as they are very easily seen.

STEVENS LATE

Late. Is one of the old "standbys", grown extensively in the Southwest. However, it need not be confined to one locality as it is grown by large growers everywhere, and succeeds in all soils and climates. It is a good yielder of large berries, well colored, firm, of good quality and flavor. They will average as large as the Bubach and are superior to that variety in every way. They do not require a heavy soil, and in this respect is more desirable than the Gandy. The plants are large and heavily crowned and produce an ideal fruiting row. It is a desirable variety.

KELLOGG'S PRIZE

This is a pistillate variety and is claimed to cover a long season. The originator describes it as follows: "Kellogg's Prize continued to bear a little later than the Sample and Stevens' Late Champion, and was the last to be found on the vines. If the public knew of the value of this variety the demand for plants could not be supplied." Very highly colored, with golden seeds, the rich coloring extending to the center; the flavor is delicious; the cap is ample and in harmony with the size of the berries.

BRANDYWINE (Per.)

This has proved so satisfactory with all who have grown it that it is consequently in large demand. It is of great value by reason of its productiveness, large size, beauty and good quality, which renders it especially desirable for the home garden. The berries are glossy crimson, very handsome, firm and solid, excellent in quality, with fine aromatic flavor. The berries color all over evenly and retain a good size to the last, ripening in succession, and every berry maturing fully. Plant is remarkably vigorous, hardy and exceedingly productive and its foliage is long, clean and healthy.

WARFIELD (Imp.)

One of the oldest, best known varieties of strawberries grown, and it still has many staunch friends scattered everywhere, who have grown it regularly and find it one of the best. It is a good sized berry, dark color, fine flavor, very productive. Warfield grows particularly well on heavy soils, a clay soil seems to be its home. Wherever you offer Warfield berries for sale you have no trouble in getting customers. For canning purposes it has no superior.

WM. BELT (Per.)

A very fine berry; in size it is all that one could ask, of the very finest flavor, beautiful bright red color, very prolific, plant a free grower. Has nice green calyx and the berry, which is a fire red, has an extra blush at its tip, the color radiating makes it one that you will notice among the best. A most tempting and delicious berry.

SAMPLE (Imp.)

This variety produces berries of large size and fine quality, continuing a long time in fruit. Berries are large and firm to the last, coloring all at once.

We recommend this sort for either home use or market where an especially late berry

is desired.

BLACKBERRIES

Blackberries should be planted in rows six to seven feet apart and three to five feet in the rows. Keep the ground light and rich for best results. Pinch the canes back when they have reached the height of from two to three feet. The blackberry root likes to get in the ground away from the surface, where it gathers those elements necessarry for a crop of berries. If the soil is wet, its roots can only be on top, and a little dry spell cuts the crop of berries.

They can be grown with very little trouble, and are very easy to start. Simply make a hole with a spade and set the plant; put it in the ground as deep or a trifle more than it has been as it is not advisable to let them grow too high.

For fancy fruit it is quite necessary that you do not leave too much wood. A good picker can pick from 125 to 150 quarts per day and the crop is a good paying one. We list the blackberry sucker plants only.

ELDORADO. This berry stands at the head of the list. They never freeze down in Michigan and we hardly know how cold it would have to be to freeze them. They yield extra heavy crops of fine large berries which have as nice flavor as any berry grown. We do not hesitate to recommend it as being superior to any variety now on the market. All the agricultural experiment stations as well as the Department of Agriculture at Washington, give it their highest endorsement. We can supply you with any amount of them you may want.

WILSON BLACKBERRY. This is one of the best blackberries grown. It is extremely Harge in size and has a fine flavor. They need mulching in Northern localities as they are liable to freeze. If you are going to grow blackberries for the garden or if you are far enough South so that your plants will not freeze we would recommend the Wilson.

MERSEREAU. This berry is a favorite in all parts of the country and yields fine large crops of berries every year. It bears the berries in clusters and is very thick stemmed and if properly pruned will give you the best of results. Our supply is limited, so if you want some of these better order early.

DEWBERRIES

Dewberries are considered by some growers to be more profitable than any other kind of fruit. They yield heavier crops than blackberries and the berries are larger; better flavored. Best results are obtained by tieing them on a wire about three feet above the ground and tieing the canes to this wire and cutting off all vines too short to reach the wire and the others six inches above the wire. They tipen earlier than blackberries and a patch of these may be picked before the blackberries start to bear. It has a trailing habit which renders it less liable to winter kill. The plants are set about three feet in the row and rows about six feet apart. Our heavily-rooted new ground plants, which are grown for plants only, cost you but little if any more than common plants dug from old fruiting patches and listed in many catalogs. We would advise mulching in very Northern localities.

LUCRETIA. The best of the dewberry family. Berries are far larger and incomparably better than any blackberry; of unequaled excellence; soft, sweet and luscious throughout; of brightest glossy black color. The Lucretia dewberry has received the endorsement and highest praise from the best horticulturists in the country.



EARLY KING (Red)

This variety is truly the King of all raspberries. The King will ripen ten days earlier than the Cuthbert, and owing to its wonderful fruiting capacity will be bearing after other varieties are gone. The berries are very large, firm, beautiful red color and very easily picked. The canes are perfectly hardy and we have never known them to winter kill. Early King is the most profitable variety of raspberry ever grown and always sells for the very top market price. The King is absolutely free from disease and will thrive on any soil or in any climate. We want you to include Early King in your order this season. We will guarantee your satisfaction.

CUTHBERT (Red)

This is one of the most profitable of the old standard varieties. It has been grown extensively in all sections of the country and produces its customary big crop wherever grown. It has given excellent satisfaction whether grown for home use or market. Cuthbert is a very vigorous grower and produces an enormous amount of fruit. Berries are very large, conical, dark red color and firm. It is the finest flavored raspberry ever grown. Cuthbert can be grown successfully everywhere, as it is extremely hardy and will thrive on any soil.

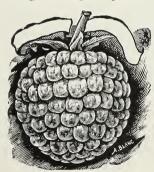
CUMBERLAND. The "Business Black Cap." Biggest black raspberry grown. This black raspberry is offered with the full assurance that it is the most profitable and desirable market variety yet known, because of its immense size, firmness and great productiveness.

Cumberland is very hardy, having withstood a temperature of 16 degrees below zero without injury. Extra productive, being the heaviest bearing variety in cultivation. Fruit is jet black and extra fine quality. Cumberland ripens medium early and continues through the raspberry season. This variety is far ahead of all other black raspberries, both in quality and quantity of fruit produced and we guarantee Cumberland to please and make you good big money on your investment.

Black raspberries can be grown very easily and the profits are quick and sure. Plant some Cumberland this year.

KANSAS. This variety is now a general favorite all over the country. Ripens early, jet black, firm, handsome and of the best quality; a strong grower, holds its foliage until frost; stands drought and cold. It is about as large as Gregg, early and very productive. Strong, healthy canes, making plenty of strong tips, and is a money maker everywhere.

PLUM FARMER. A wonderful new extra early variety of black raspberry that has already become one of the leading and most popular varieties. We guarantee Plum Farmer to bring you a paying crop of extra fine fruit. The plants are very healthly, have a silverybluish appearance when ripened and succeed where others fail. The fruit is a grayish-black, very firm, a good shipper, attractive, of the very highest flavor and is adapted for evaporating, as well as for fresh market or home use. Plum Farmer is extra early and always brings the highest prices.



THE COLUMBIAN

The Columbian Purple Raspberry will produce one-third to one-half more fruit than any of the Black Cap varieties, and is hardier than any of them; never has been known to winter kill in the southern half of lower Michigan. It is more vigorous in growth than any of the black varieties. It propagates from the tips of the canes same as Black Caps. Fruit is large and somewhat conical in shape, of excellent quality, having a distinct flavor of its own. The color is a dark red when ripe, bordering on purple. Ripens late and has a long season. This is the best berry of them all for table use, canning, preserves, jams, jelly, etc. Once used the housewife will have no other kind of raspberry. Sells for high prices on all markets. It is the big money-maker of the entire raspberry family. Plant all you can of them this Spring.



CURRANTS. This fruit is being more widely grown every year and are found to be very pro fitable and easily grown. We list the two best and standard varieties.

LONDON MARKET. One of the old standbys and a favorite in all sections of the country. A good yielder and has large fruit. Holds its foliage and is not liable to attacks of worms or borers.

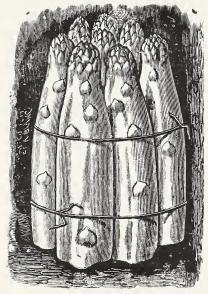
PERFECTION. This is another old standard variety that holds its place among all newer varieties and is being more extensively planted every year. Plant is extremely vigorous.

GOOSEBERRIES. This fruit is very good for garden culture as well as for commercial use. It always finds a good market and brings good prices.

DOWNING. Berry is yellowish green when ripe and is one of the largest varieties grown. Has a good flavor and is immensely productive.

HOUGHTON. Berry is reddish when ripe and has a good flavor; a good one for market and a winner for home use. One of the best varieties and is very large and productive.





ASPARAGUS

No garden is complete without Asparagus. Our stock of Asparagus roots was grown on contract for us by one of our neighbors who had good land especially adapted to this purpose. We will guarantee entire satisfaction with our plants.

Set asparagus plants four to six inches deep, and about 12 inches apart in the row, covering with only three inches of soil at first, and filling in the trenches as the plants grow. About September 1st the tops should be cut and the bed cleared of weeds. When this work is finished, cover the bed to a depth of three inches with coarse manure for a mulch. Very early in the spring, rake off all coarse straw and loosen the soil, being careful not to injure the crowns of plants.

PALMETTO. A valuable new variety of extra quality and very productive. Very large, tender stalks and hardy.

RHUBARB

This very desirable vegetable comes early in the Spring. The large stems of the leaves are used for pie-making and stewing. It is also desirable for medicinal purposes. A deep, rich soil is indispensable to secure large, heavy stalks. Plant in rows four feet apart, with the plants three feet distant. Set so that the crowns are about one inch below the surface. Top dress in the fall with stable manure and fork under in the Spring.

LINNAEUS. This variety produces a small stem of fine quality; early; excellent for cooking,

If shipping facilities are near at hand, strawberries may be made to pay big profits, as they will frequently net \$400 to \$500 per acre. Then, too, they provide the best opportunity to reduce expense in newly planted orchards. Apple and pear trees do not bear normal crops for 8 or 10 years, and strawberry plants in rows between the trees will frequently enable a young ochard to show a profit before any tree fruits have been produced.

GRAPE VINES

Great Shortage of Grapes in This Country

Let Us Help Supply the Ever Increasing Demand

A grape vineyard represents a splendid permanent investment that will pay big dividends every year for seventy-five or one hundred years.

The original Concord grape vine, located near Boston, is well over one hundred years old and is still producing large crops of nice grapes every year.

For the past three years grapes have been making the growers from \$300.00 to \$500.00 net profit per acre each season.

Plant grape vines for field culture eight by twelve feet, requiring about 435 plants per acre. Grape vines will grow and do well on light sand or clay where it is hard to raise a crop of grain or other fruit.

Grapes are bringing very high prices every year and the demand is growing rapidly. Grapes produce a full crop each season and continue to produce indefinitely.

Grape plants are a short crop again thi year and the demand will far exceed the supply. We advise you to send your order in early, as we were obliged to disappoint many of our customers last year.

CONCORD (Black). This is the grape so largely planted all over the country for commercial purposes. Concord is the main variety of grape for profit and is sold in large quantities. A large, purplish-black grape, lipening about the middle of September; vines remarkably vigorous and tree from disease; the standard for productiveness and hardiness all over the country. Concord is by far the best and most profitable market grape grown. Strong, well-rooted vines.

MOORE'S EARLY (Black). Bunch large, berry round, color black, with a heavy blue bloom. Moore's Early is hardy, free from disease, and about a week earlier than Concord.

NIAGARA (White). Best white grape grown. Vine hardy, a good grower and producer. Bunches and berries are large as Concord. Greenish-white in color, skin does not crack, quality fine and sweet. You should have a good white grape for your own use.

DELAWARE (Red). Bunch small, compact, sometimes shouldered; berries small; skin thin, but firm; flesh juicy, very sweet and refreshing, of best quality for table; ripens with Concord; very hardy. A pale red grape.

WORDEN. This grape is a seedling of the Concord grape. It is a very large grape, has a large uniform bunch, is purplish-black in color. The flesh of the grape has a flavor anlike any other variety; delicious and melting. It is an extra fine variety for a dessert grape and a market variety. The vine is very hardy and produces large quantities of grapes. It bears between the early and mid-season.

CHAMPION. The earliest variety grown. Has extra heavy foliage which protects it from getting scorched. The bunches are very solid and they have as fine flavor as any grape on the market. This variety is a heavy yielder and brings top-notch prices on the market.

CAMPBELL'S EARLY. This is one of the leading varieties in Michigan and is grown exclusively as an early grape in California. One grower in Benton Harbor, Mich., about twenty miles from Bridgman had a patch in fruit this year and the bunches were so large that they could not be packed in the ordinary four quart basket. They were packed in crates and sold from two to five cents higher per pound than any other grape on the market. The bunches measure from six to mine inches and are very solid and uniform. They have a flavor all their own being equally suitable for a table or wine grape. Plant some Campbell's this Spring. own, being equally suitable for a table or wine grape. Plant some Campbell's this Spring.

\$5.00 IN STOCK GIVEN FOR ANY AND ALL PHOTOGRAPHS PUBLISHED IN OUR NEXT CATALOG.

Thousands of our old Customers are successfully growing our plants in all sections of the Country.

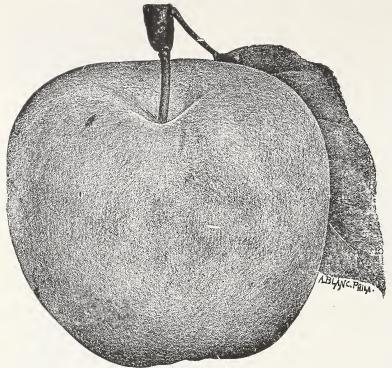
This spring when your fields commence fruiting, many of you will no doubt secure wonderful results. We wish all of you who feel that you can secure a good photograph of your fields would send in such photographs to us. If we can use them we will give you \$5.00 worth of plants ordered at list price from our next catalog.

You do not necessarily need to take the photo at fruiting time. If this summer your plants purchased from us this spring have made a wonderful growth, send us a picture of the field. Maybe we can use it.

use it.

Always accompany photographs with a description as to quantities and varieties set, character of soil, fertility, etc.

FRUIT TREES



As so many of our customers have written us regarding fruit trees, we have added this department, and can now supply you with strictly first-class trees that are Northern grown. Fruit trees are very scarce this season and we suggest that you place your order at once to be sure of getting what you want. Fruit trees should be grown on every farm as there is a great demand for tree fruit in every locality. A few hundred trees will insure an abundant income in the near future, and will greatly increase the value of your property. In many localities it is very hard to secure fruit, by purchase, in pleasing variety. We urge our readers to order at least a few trees to provide family with fresh fruit during a large portion of the year, and for canning and preserving for use when desired. The small amount required to pur-

chase the trees will be repaid many times by the health and pleasure derived from the abundant supply of fruit.

The varieties we offer on these two pages have been selected for hardiness, quality, productiveness and adaptability to all soils and climates. They are the favorites in their respective classes and will please you in every way. We guarantee that the stock will be first class, true to name, and well packed. The large trees cannot be shipped by parcel post but will be shipped by express, customers paying transportation charges. Trees in all cases will be shipped separate from other stock.

Prices are for quantities named, all of one variety. Five trees at the ten rate. If you order one tree of ten different varieties prices must be figured at the each rate.

Terms: Net cash with order or one-third with order balance to be paid before shipping. We do not ship C. O. D. Five per cent discount on all orders received before March 15, accompanied by cash in full. We employ no agents and are responsible only for orders received through the mail or delivered in person.

Cultural instructions: Apple trees are planted forty feet each way. Pears are planted from eighteen to twenty feet each way. Plums are set from sixteen to twenty feet each way. Quince trees are planted from ten to twelve feet apart. Cherries are set from eighteen to twenty feet apart. Peaches are set from sixteen to eighteen feet apart.

APPLES SUMMER APPLES

RED ASTRACHAN. Tree upright; spreading; vigorous grower; an early and abundant bearer. Fruit above medium, greenish-yellow, almost covered with mottled and striped crimson, flesh white, crisp, juicy, brisk acid, good August.

DUCHESS OF OLDENBURG. Tree upright, vigorous, and extremely hardy. An early and annual bearer of uniformly large crops Fruit large, greenish-yellow with red stripes. Flesh light yellow, medium fine grained, firm flavor a pleasant acid. A good cooking sort and prime market sort. August.

AUTUMN APPLES

WEALTHY. Tree is vigorous, hardy, an early and abundant bearer. Fruit medium to large, greenish-yellow striped with bright-red flesh white, tender, juicy. October.

WINTER APPLES

BALDWIN. Tree vigorous, upright, open grower, very productive. Fruit large, deep red, flesh rich, crisp and juicy, an excellent commercial variety. Good keeper.

FRUIT TREES (Continued)

GRIMES GOLDEN. Tree vigorous, upright, spreading; fruit medium to large. Rich golden-yellow, flesh yellow, firm, crisp, aromatic, sub-acid, spicy; quality the best.

JONATHAN. An improved seedling of Spitzenberg. Fruit good size, light yellow, bright red on sunny side; flesh white, tender, juicy, aromatic. A leader.

NORTHERN SPY. A good thrifty grower, fruit striped with red; flavor rich, mild subacid, aromatic, fine. Is high quality and profitable.

GREENING. Tree vigorous grower, hardy. Fruit large, yellowish-green. Flesh yellow, fine grained and firm. Flavor a good sub-acid, very smooth and attractive. Write for prices on larger amounts.

PEARS

BARTLETT. Large size, yellow with blush on sunny side. Buttery, very juicy, and highly flavored. Tree a strong grower, bears early, bears abundantly. Summer.

CLAPP'S FAVORITE. Very large, yellow and dull-red in color, with russet specks, fine flavored, buttery, melting, juicy, an excellent pear. Summer.

KIEFFER. Fruit medium, rich color, fine quality; tree very vigorous. Autumn.

PEACHES

ROCHESTER (Free). Early mid-season Yellow with blush, sweet, juicy, highly flavored; skin thick, tough. Tree rapid grower, yields abundantly; very good quality.

J. H. HALE (Free). Fruit averages about one-third to one-half larger than Elberta; ripens about five days earlier. Beautiful color, flesh yellow, superior variety.

ELBERTA (Free). The great market peach of the Southwest. Very hardy, color yellow with blush, flesh yellow, tender and juicy. A good shipping peach. Very productive.

GOLD DROP (Free). Translucent colored, the perfect canning peach, sells for highest prices on the market. Tree is hardy, bears early and is very profitable.

PLUMS

BRADSHAW. Very large, dark violet-red, flesh yellowish green, juicy and pleasant. Tree is very vigorous and productive. A fine canning plum. European.

GERMAN PRUNE. Medium oval, is purplish blue in color, is rich, juicy and of high flavor. Tree upright and vigorous, very productive and profitable. European.

BURBANK. Medium to large, orange-yellow, dotted and marbled with red. Flesh meaty, yellow, sweet, good, hardy and prolific. Good canning plum. Japanese.

CHERRIES

BLACK TARTARIAN (Sweet). Very large, bright purplish-black, half-tender, juicy, rich and flavor excellent. Vigorous grower and producer. June.

LARGE MONTMORENCY. Large, roundish, red, flesh tender, mildly acid, good quality. Fruit larger and firmer than early Richmond, about ten days later, vigorous.

WINDSOR (Sweet). A splendid large, liver-colored cherry that hangs on a long time and rots but little. Flesh firm and good. Tree hardy and fruitful, good.

EARLY RICHMOND. Medium size, red and juicy, acid flavor, one of the most popular and valuable of the acid cherries. Tree slender, productive, hardy.

MAY DUKE. Large, dark red, juicy, rich. A superior and productive variety that holds its own against all new comers. Mild sub-acid flavor, vigorous and hardy.

OUINCES

CHAMPION. Very large and handsome ornamental tree, as well as being valuable for its fruit. Flesh cooks as tender as an apple without hard spots. Flavor delicate, bears abundantly, one of the most valuable sorts. Our trees are from five to six feet high at \$1.00 each.

We handle all standard varieties of fruit trees and will be pleased to quote you prices on request.

Xenia, Ill., April 14, 1922.

Gentlemen:—I sent you an order for plants April 5th, and a short time afterwards I received them. They were in fine condition. The plants are doing fine. W. H. W.

White Hall, Md., April 15, 1922.

Dear Sirs:—We received the strawberry plants all in good shape, thanking you for same. I received them just a few days after mailing my letter.
Yours truly, N. A. R.

Monroeville, Ind., April, 11, 1922.

Dear Sirs:—Received the plants in good condition and are well satisfied with them. Wish to thank you for the prompt shipment.

Yours truly, H. H.

Eau Claire, Wis., May 4, 1922.

Gentlemen:—Enclosed please find check for \$141.12 to cover my account in full. The plants arrived here in good condition and we are very well pleased with them. I want to thank you for the extras and also the prompt service you have given our order.

Yours truly, E. G. U.

Rebersburg, Pa., May 29, 1922.

Dear Sirs:—I want to acknowledge receipt of the strawberry plants. I planted and am cultivating them. They are all growing but one. I never saw tiner plants and they are doing fine. I have shown them to a number of people and hope that you may get orders from some of them.

Yours truly, W. S.

Home Garden Collections

These collections are made up of the best varieties for table use, and all contain an assortment of strawberries from early to late, so that you are sure to have strawberries on the table from early June until late autumn. Remember, these collections are all sent prepaid. However, should you wish to order other stock in connection with one or more of these collections, remit transportation charges for the additional stock in accordance with Parcel Post Table.

COLLECTION 1

- 25 Premier
- 25 Dr. Burrill
- 25 Big Joe 25 Uncle Jim
- 50 Champion Evb.

\$2.50

COLLECTION 2

- 50 Charles 1
- 50 Dunlap
- 50 Gibson
- 50 Joe Crampton
- 100 Progressive

COLLECTION 3

- 100 Premier 100 Dr. Burrill
- 100 Eaton
- 100 Kellogg's Prize
- 200 Champion Evb.

\$6.50

COLLECTION 4 Raspberries

- 25 Cuthbert
- 25 Columbian
- 25 Cumberland
- 25 Lucretia

\$3.00

COLLECTION 5

Grapes

- 2 Moore's Early
- 2 Concord 2 Delaware
- 2 Niagara \$1.50

COLLECTION 6

Grapes

- 1 Champion 1 Campbell's Early
- 1 Moore's Early
- 1 Worden
- Concord
- 1 Delaware
- 1 Niagara

\$1.50

MIXED VARIETIES OF STRAWBERRIES. These plants are those that are dug from the center where two different varieties have matted. They are all good standard varieties and will give satisfaction wherever planted. We guarantee them to be fresh dug and in good growing condition. If you want a few for the garden and cannot decide on the variety you want, order some of these and they will supply you with berries.

OUR MISTAKES

To deny making mistakes is a frank acknowledgment of retrogression or a movement toward ultimate failure. Yes, we make mistakes occasionally but what's more, we make them serve as stepping stones to successful achievement rather than permitting them to remain as

stumbling blocks to retard our progress.

We were gratified at the following voluntary tribute expressed in our office one day last summer by a traveling salesman who, although having called on us many times, had not succeeded in securing our order. In the course of his conversation he remarked: "There's one thing I like about you people and that is your perfect frankness and the fact that you are just

as ready to admit your mistakes as to boast of your achievements."

While we make as few mistakes as possible, we can truthfully say that they result eventually to the interest of our customers as practically all are made and discovered in our testing and experimental plots. Any new method, plan or variety which emerges therefrom virtually has undergone a test of fire and more than made good.

In other words we never pass anything on to our customers until we have developed it beyond the experimental stage to a point where its value is unquestioned. In this way we constantly safeguard the interests of those who place their confidence in Kellogg Pedigree Plants and our Company.

OUR GUARANTEE

We guarantee all plants shipped by us to be true to name and first-class in every respect, fresh dug and packed in the best possible manner, and delivered to the postoffice or express company in first-class condition. If plants should not prove true to name, we will upon proper proof, return your money for such plants, or refill that portion of your order which has not proved true to name, but are not liable for further damages.

We do not guarantee anything which is beyond our control, which includes floods, fires,

strikes, drouths, accidents, condition of plants on arrival at destination, the growth of same, or the crops.

Fort Wayne, Ind., June 2, 1922.

Gentlemen:—When I opened the box of plants you sent I was pleasantly surprised. I have been ordering from many different nurseries for fifteen years and have never received such plants as you sent me. They have better roots and more of them than I have ever seen before. Be sure and send me a catalog next year.

Sincerely yours, R. J. B.

Detroit, Mich., July 9, 1922.

Gentlemen:—I received my plants and planted them, and all are growing fine. I ordered plants from four and all are growing fine. I ordered plants from four other nurseries in your town and your plants are doing from 50 per cent to 100 per cent better than theirs. You will get my order and several from my neighbors next spring.

Sincerely yours, A. R. F.

General Information

When writing, please be sure to sign your name PLAINLY, also give your Postoffice. County, and State.

TERMS:-Cash with order or part cash and the balance any time before shipment. On account of the perishable nature of our stock we cannot ship C. O. D.

REFERENCES:-For information as to our reliability we refer you to: Farmers and Merchants National Bank, Benton Harbor, Michigan or Bridgman State Bank, Bridgman, Michigan. Also the Postmaster or Express Agent at Bridgman.

TIME TO ORDER:—Order early. The earlier the better. If anything more is needed it can be added late. If not prepared to send the full amount, send part and the order will be booked; the balance may be sent any time before shipment is made. We acknowledge order the same day it is received.

SUBSTITUTION—We will not substitute one variety for another without your permission, unless order is received too late in the season to permit correspondence. In this case, some variety having same season and value will be substituted.

SEASON OF SHIPPING-We commence to ship the last of March or first of April, according to season, and continue until May 10th to 15th.

METHODS OF SHIPPING-Express is the safest and all things considered the best way to ship. Many of our small orders are now shipped by Parcel Post and arrive in good shape. For information regarding rates, etc., see bottom of page.

WE DO NOT ISSUE A FALL CATALOG, but we will supply you with what plants you may want at any time after October 10th.

CERTIFICATE OF NURSERY INSPECTION NO. 2571

This is to certify that I have examined the nursery stock of Dass Nursery Co., Bridgman, Michigan, and find it apparently free of all contagious tree and plant diseases.

This certificate to be void after July 31, 1923.

Lansing, Mich., August 12, 1922. W. P. Hartman, Director Bureau of Foods and Standards.

DISTANCE FOR PLANTING

Grapes. Rows 8 feet apart, 10 feet in the row. Currants and Gooseberries. Rows 5 feet apart, 4 feet in the row. Raspherries. Rows 5 to 6 feet apart, 3 to 4 feet in the row. Blackberries. Rows 6½ feet apart, 3 feet in the row. Strawberries for the field. 3½ feet apart, 1½ feet in the row. Strawberries for the garden. 2 feet apart, 1 foot in the row.

NUMBER OF PLANTS REQUIRED TO PLANT ONE ACRE

1 by 1 foot43,560	4 by 4 feet	2,722
2 by 1 foot21,780	5 by 1 foot	8,712
2 by 2 feet10,890	5 by 2 feet	4,356
3 by 1 foot14,520	5 by 3 feet	2,904
3½ by 1½ feet	5 by 4 feet	2,178
3 by 2 feet7,260	5 by 5 feet	1,742
3 by 3 feet4,840	6 by 1 foot	7,260
4 by 1 foot10,890	6 by 2 feet	3,630
4 by 2 feet5,445	6 by 3 feet	2,420
4 by 3 feet 3 630	6 by 4 feet	1.815

Rule for determining the number of plants required to plant one acre not mentioned in above table Multiply the distance in feet between the rows by the distance the plants are apart in the rows, and the product will be number of square feet for each plant or hill; which, divided into the number of square feet in an acre (43,560), will give the number of plants for an acre.

PARCEL POST SHIPMENTS

We now ship many small orders by parcel post and our customers have found it very satisfactory. We do not recommend it for any but small orders, however, as it would be very expensive.

Inquire from your Postmaster or Rural Carrier what zone you are in from Bridgman, Michigan. By referring to the following table you may then determine the amount to add to your order for Parcel Post charges. The amounts quoted in this table include the safe wrapping of your order to reach you in good growing condition.

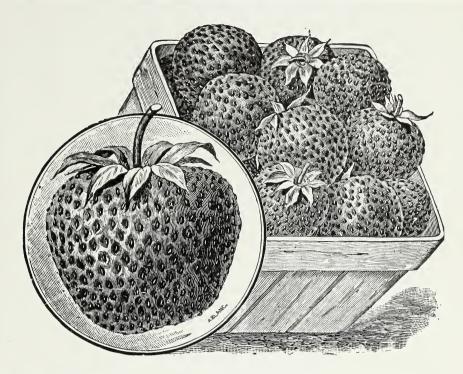
Add to your order for each 100 plants of—	1st and 2nd Zone	3rd Zone	4th Zone	5th Zone	6th Zone	7th Zone	8th Zone
Strawberries and AsparagusRed Raspberries	.15	\$0.18 .20	\$0.25 .30	\$0.35 .33	\$0.40 .45	\$0.48 .55	\$0.55 .65
Black Raspberries and Blackberries For each one dozen plants of Currants, Goose-	.20	.30	.40	.65	.85	1.05	1.25
berries and Grapes	.12	.18	.25	.35	.40	.48	.55

[&]quot;How good" is more important than, "how much." Low price does not mean low cost, but the resultant crop grown from DASS plants and trees does.

PRICE LIST OF PLANTS

Be sure and grow your fruit from our plants this year. We have a large stock of everything we list, all first class, and the price cut down to suit the times.

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Dunlap Warfield Stevens Late	Missionary Klondyke Chas. First Gibson		Premier Howard Bun Spe Eaton		Pı	cogressive	Evb.
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200 plants 1.10 300 plants 1.50	Sample Brandywine		-	3.50 4.00		plants	
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Early King		\$0.80	\$1.50	\$2.00	\$4.50	\$8.00	\$15.00
Cuthbert		.80	1.50	2.00	4.50	8.00	15.00
Cumberland	BLACK	RASPBE \$0.75	RRIES \$1.00	\$1.75	\$4.00	\$7.50	\$14.00
Kansas		.75	1.00	1.75	4.00	7.50	14.00
Plum Farmer		.75	1.00	1.75	4.00	7.00	14.00
Eldorado		KBERR \$0.80	\$1.50	\$2.50	\$6.00	\$11.00	\$20.00
Wilson		.80	1.50	2.50	6.00	11.00	20.00
Mersereau		.80	1.50	2.50	6.00	11.00	20.00
Lucretia		VBERRII \$0.80	\$1.50	\$2.50	86.00	\$11.09	\$20.00
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London Market 1 year _		\$2.75	\$5.25	\$10.00			
Perfection 1 year		5.50 PE VIN	10.50 ES	20.00			
Concord 1 year No. 1	\$1.00 \$1.75	\$2.50	\$3.75	\$7.00	\$15.00	\$27.50	\$50.00
Concord 2 year No. 1	1.50 2.25	3.25	5.00	9.00	20.00	35.00	65.00
Concord 1 year No. 2 Moore's Early		$\frac{1.75}{3.50}$	$\frac{3.00}{6.00}$	$\frac{5.00}{10.00}$	$11.00 \\ 22.00$	20.00 40.00	35.00 75.00
Niagara	1.25 2.00	3.50	6.00	10.00	20.00	35.00	20.00
Worden		2.50	3.75	7.00	15.00	27.50	50.00
Delaware Campbell's Early		$\begin{array}{c} 6.00 \\ 4.00 \end{array}$	$\frac{10.00}{7.50}$	$17.50 \\ 12.50$	30.00 22.50	55.00 40.00	
Champion	1.00 1.75	2.50	3.75	7.00	15.00	27.50	50.00
Palmetto	ASP	ARAGUS	6				610.00
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Linnaeus		\$2.75	\$5.50	\$10.00			



GIBSON --- A Perfect Midseason Sort

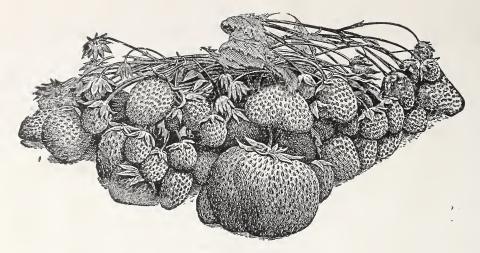
THIS BERRY FRUITS IF SET ALONE—NEEDS NO MATE.

Since the introduction of this wonderful variety we have been watching it very carefully and we can now say, that of all the sorts which we have seen in fruiting it has no equal. It has been tested in all sections of the country and is a proven success. Our own experience justifies us in saying that without a doubt it will produce twice the berries of any other midseason sort. As a drought resister it is a wonder. Has an exceptionally fine color and bears extra large fine flavored fruit. One of the best points of this remarkable variety is that it will hold its size until the very end of the picking season. This we believe is due to the extra large healthy plant which this sort produces, having a very long root system and being almost immune from diseases. Whether you grow strawberries for market or home use we recommend the Gibson and know that you will be more than satisfied with both the quantity and quality of berries which this extraordinary sort will produce for you.

We sell more of the Gibson than any other one variety and this in itself is the best recommendation that we can give it. In our section here the Bridgman Fruit Growers' Association demand that their growers set this sort and we believe that we have over 500 acres in this berry grown around and near us at present. The plant is perfect flowering and is an exceptionally fine pollenizer, making it a good one to set with other imperiect varieties. Can be set alone with the best of success.

For big profits, set the Gibson. It is a wonderful shipper and will outsell almost any other variety. We recommend it to you, for we want all our friends to get in on this good thing and don't forget to place your order early for not all growers will be able to get them this year. If you want 5,000 or more, write for prices.

Don't Wait Another Year, But Get Started Right By Ordering Today All That You Can Use



CHAMPION

The New Heavy-Yielding Everbearing Strawberry

You will hear a great deal about this wonderful new variety during the next few years. Champion was introduced in 1921 and is an extra heavy producer of splendid berries during the late summer and fall. Produces a full crop of berries the same year as set. Berries a little larger than Progressive and of same extra quality and color. Try a few Champion this year.

PLUM FARMER

The World's Best Early Black Cap

Plants are exceptionally healthy and thrifty. Canes are strong-growing, producing many laterals, thus supplying lots of bearing wood.



It yields large quantities of berries, large of size and of fine quality. Produces most of its fruit in about ten days, allowing practically the entire crop to be harvested in five pickings. Crop is picked earlier than other sorts allowing you to handle a larger acreage.

Its unexcelled quality and flavor brings the highest prices. Plum Farmer is for an early black raspberry what Cumberland is for a medium season black raspberry.

Beyond a doubt it is one of the safest and surest market varieties grown today. We have some fine plants. Send your order early.